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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

Reference AO (8-249239) of Form PTO-1449.

A pseudo-random generator is used in this invention. (Fig. 1, GA)